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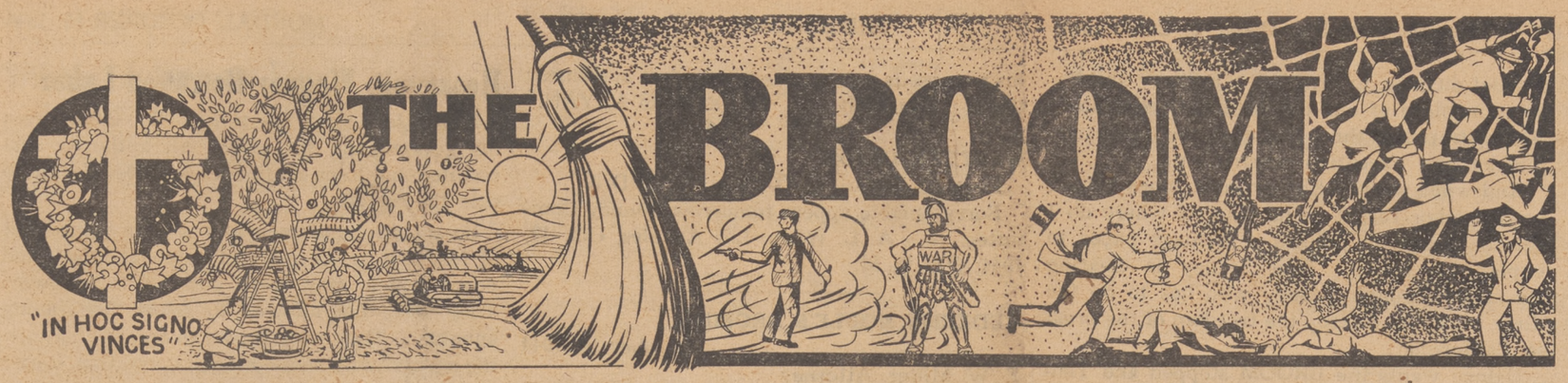

"Isn't it queer . . . . that God still rules supreme ? !"

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"I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully execute the office of President of the United States, and will, to the best of my ability, preserve, protect, and defend the Constitution of the United States".

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Tenney Subpoenas de Aryan Again

Commanded to Apear in Los Angeles and Bring Records

ATTEMPT TO DESTROY FREE PRESS BY TERRORIZING READERS

C. Leon de Aryan was served by the sheriff's office with a subpoena last Tuesday while standing on the court house steps in conversation with two county officials. Jack Tenney, Chairman of the joint legislative committee investigating "un-American" activities, COMMANDED de Aryan to appear in Los Angeles, room 115, California State Building, at 10 A. M., Friday, the lucky 13th, and bring with him all records of those to whom THE BROOM was sent from Jan. 1, 1944 to Oct. 12, 1944, as well as all records of all who contributed to the support of THE BROOM.

The purpose is plain. Since the subversive elements cannot stop the circulation, and the increase in circulation, of THE BROOM by fair means, the Labor Racketeers are using Jack Tenney's committee to terrorize the readers by publicizing and smearing them. This is the test we must pass if freedom of the press is to survive. Will our readers give up their constitutional rights for fear of Tenney's smear publicity!?

Senator Jack Tenney who recently turned Republican in opposition to Sidney Hillman's PAC terrorism which defeated Representative Costello from re-election to congress, is unable yet to differentiate between a man who in loyalty to his oath obeys the Lord first and the man who breaks his oath and works to undermine constitutional government. If anybody needs investigating it is Jack Tenney himself. Who pressured him into persecuting our readers and contributors? He still imagines himself smarter than the Lord and expects us to ignore our oath to please his notions. He is up against the real thing now.

This is the hour of which Jesus spoke when he said that he has not come to send peace but a sword, for it separates the Americans from the cowards. Jesus was crucified as a seditionist, so what can his disciples expect?

Still—in God we trust.

ECONOMIC JUSTICE

REWARD

For Information Leading to the Apprehension of—

JESUS CHRIST

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Dresses poorly, *said* to be a carpenter by trade, ill-nourished, has visionary ideas, associates with common working people, the unemployed and bums. Alien—believed to be a Jew—ALIAS 'Prince of Peace,' 'Son of Man', 'Light of the World' &c. &c. *Professional Agitator,* Red beard, marks on hands and feet the result of injuries inflicted by an angry mob led by respectable citizens and legal authorities.

The above rogue-gallery poster was drawn by Art Young, of the staff of the Communist-atheist "New Masses" (Reproduction from Nov. 1932 issue of "ECONOMIC JUSTICE", Bulletin of "The National Religion and Labor Education" with Sidney Hillman, Honorary President.)

REQUEST FOR MORE TIME TO COMPLY WITH SUBPOENA

October 10, 1944 8 P. M.

Hon. Jack B. Tenney
Chairman, Committee on un-American activities
Room 115, State Bldg.
Los Angeles, California.

My Dear Senator:

Thanks for serving me with the subpoena duces tecum for appearance before you on Friday the 13th, the lucky day, in Los Angeles.

I shall be glad to comply except that I am broke and you did not foresee such a condition otherwise you would have sent me the fare and made the reservations for me to make sure that I am physically able to comply with your command. You know how tansportation today is. You think you'll get there and then are left behind.

It might appear strange to you that an editor of a weekly should be broke, but brother that is the usual thing, the exception is when he has money.

You might not realize it, but I am in the service of Christ and all my needs are provided for by the Holy Ghost who inspires people according to the Lord's promise to his disciples. I never lack but I never have money for foolish expenditures.

The Lord did not provide me with fare to Los Angeles this week, so I guess you'll get the inspiration for it now. Of course, you'll be happy to comply with the Lord's command, if you command me to appear, He commands you to pay the fare. That's only fair.

I am always happy to line up people to serve the Lord's COMMANDS, that's why I am so happy now to serve as his messenger in your case.

Again this is a perfect example how the Lord works in mysterious ways His wonders to perform. If you will read the Gospels in the New Testament you will discover there that the Christ commands his disciples to give away all they have to the needy and not worry for tomorrow. Now your subpoena arrived exactly after I had complied with this Command, which I am sure, supercedes even your command to me, for it left me broke. I had paid up my bills, luckily.

You see, every week I budget myself and then all the surplus goes for charity. That's why I always have money to pay my bills and the BROOM never missed an issue. The Lord takes care of His own, evidently, even though again you are out to terrorize my subscribers, advertisers and contributors.

As wonderful a man as you even is unable to outsmart the Lord, for you are being used to weed out again the fraid-cats among my subscribers and supporters so that only the brave and the free Americans dare remain loyal to the principle of a free press under the Constitution you have repeatedly sworn to uphold, but instead, are doing all in your power to destroy.

Unless your intention is to interfer with the issuance of the BROOM you will certainly take into consideration that Friday and Saturday are the two days of the week when I get the paper out at the printshop and will agree that Monday would be a more convenient day for my appearance and serve your purpose just as well without imposing unnecessary hardships on me and violating the First Amendment to the Constitution by issuing commands for my appearance that interfere with the issuance of my paper.

As transportation facilities are nowadays you can gamble on my appearance if you set the time for the afternoon. The 7 o'clock train on the Santa Fe generally has enough space in the morning, while thereafter one might be left behind by every train. So if you would set the time of appearance for the afternoon of Monday or Tuesday, I could catch the morning train that sets me down in Los Angeles around 11 AM, freshen myself up at my hotel and then be in good shape for appearance before you.

As far as busses are concerned you know how it is: you might get a seat and you might never get one and the OPA does not give a tinker's dam about your commands for they don't issue ration coupons to comply with them. So I could not count on using my car, besides it might fall apart and then I would have to ask you to send out a towcar to drag me in to the California State Building. It's hard to get cars nowadays.

Aside from that there are a number of other factors that mitigate against my prompt compliance with your command. Tomorrow I am to appear in court litigation where I am acting as my own attorney. That date was set long before your subpoena was served. You know how court litigation goes, you never can tell how long it takes or how it comes out.

To prepare myself for it I have no possible time to wade through all my records to get things ready for my Friday appearance. You are asking a lot in those four lines demanding records, but I have no office help to do my work and being a one-man paper, you know how things pile up on an editor and he has to wade through all that pile of papers for a year past to get what you want and that takes time. If you insist that I appear on Friday I might be able to comply with only a fraction of your request and it won't be my fault. You'll have to send me back for the rest and pay my fare both ways and hotel bills and besides you will lose time and no good purpose is served since I have to get the paper out on Friday and Saturday.

And one more thing. Since I returned from jail in Washington, D. C., I have steadily lost weight. I am under doctor's care. I cannot exert myself more than five hours a day without a nervous collapse. I would not be much good to you if I collapsed from overwork, because I would have to work like two beavers to get things ready for the printer ahead of time and obey your command on such ungodly short notice.

Really, to be of any earthly use to you, you would be wise in placing the date for October 23 at 2 P. M. Then I could have found all the records you require out of my junkpile of papers and we both would be happy without stepping on each other.

But an even better idea strickes me. Did you read Section 1989 of the Code of Civil Procedure? It says there that for civil causes a witness should not be compelled to appear at a distance of more than 100 miles. How would it be if Mohammed were to go to the mountain and you came to San Diego as you did before? There is this to consider about it. During the inquisition you might find that you are interested in refreshing my memory and if I am in Los Angeles it would be quite expensive to send me back to San Diego to consult my files while if I were already here, it would be a simple matter. It would simplify everything and make it more convenient for both of us.

God bless you! for attracting again attention to my work!

Money is hard to get nowadays and everytime you make a martyr out of me, up goes the circulation and sympathy. Everybody wants to know why you persecute me again, so they read the BROOM because no other paper dares give the real lowdown. You know, for each subscriber you can mark down six kibitzers, that's why practically all my subscribers send in more than the subscription price and earmark it for my personal use to do as I see fit. That's the secret and God bless your good heart for creating more sympathy for the brave man who in these days of hysteria still dares stand on the side of the Lord against His enemies and perverters of their oath of office.

Whenever you send me the money and reservations, you may inform me whether you would not prefer to set the date for Monday or Tuesday, otherwise I assume that you decided to hold the hearing in San Diego and save us all this bother of taking chances that I did not bring exactly what you meant in your subpoena.

Congratulations on your change of heart, that you finally joined us in the battle for the maintenance of the Republic. I am happy to extend to you the right hand of fellowship in our efforts to put over the complete Republican ticket at the polls. Praised be the Holy Ghost who inspired you at the eleventh hour and showed you the Light!

But, tell me, why did you not subpoena the CIO and PAC to save Rep. Costello from the CIO wolves? Why do you pick on a fellow Republican? Or are you just a Republican in name only?

Hoping to see you soon, I am most sincerely your devoted servant in the cause of unearthing un-American activities, especially the kind that violate the First Amendment.

Respectfully, C. LEON de ARYAN

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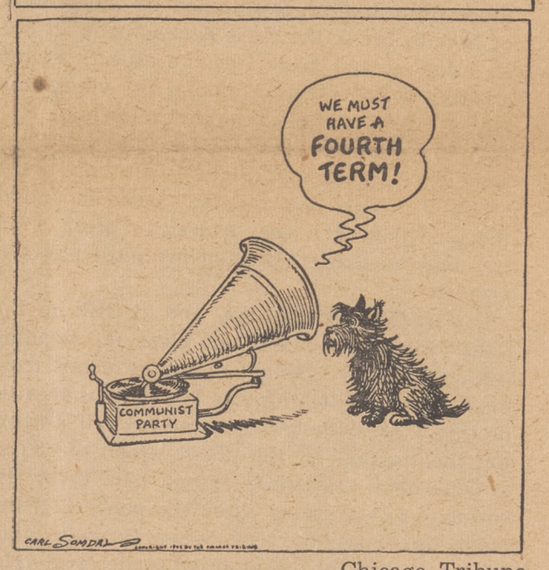

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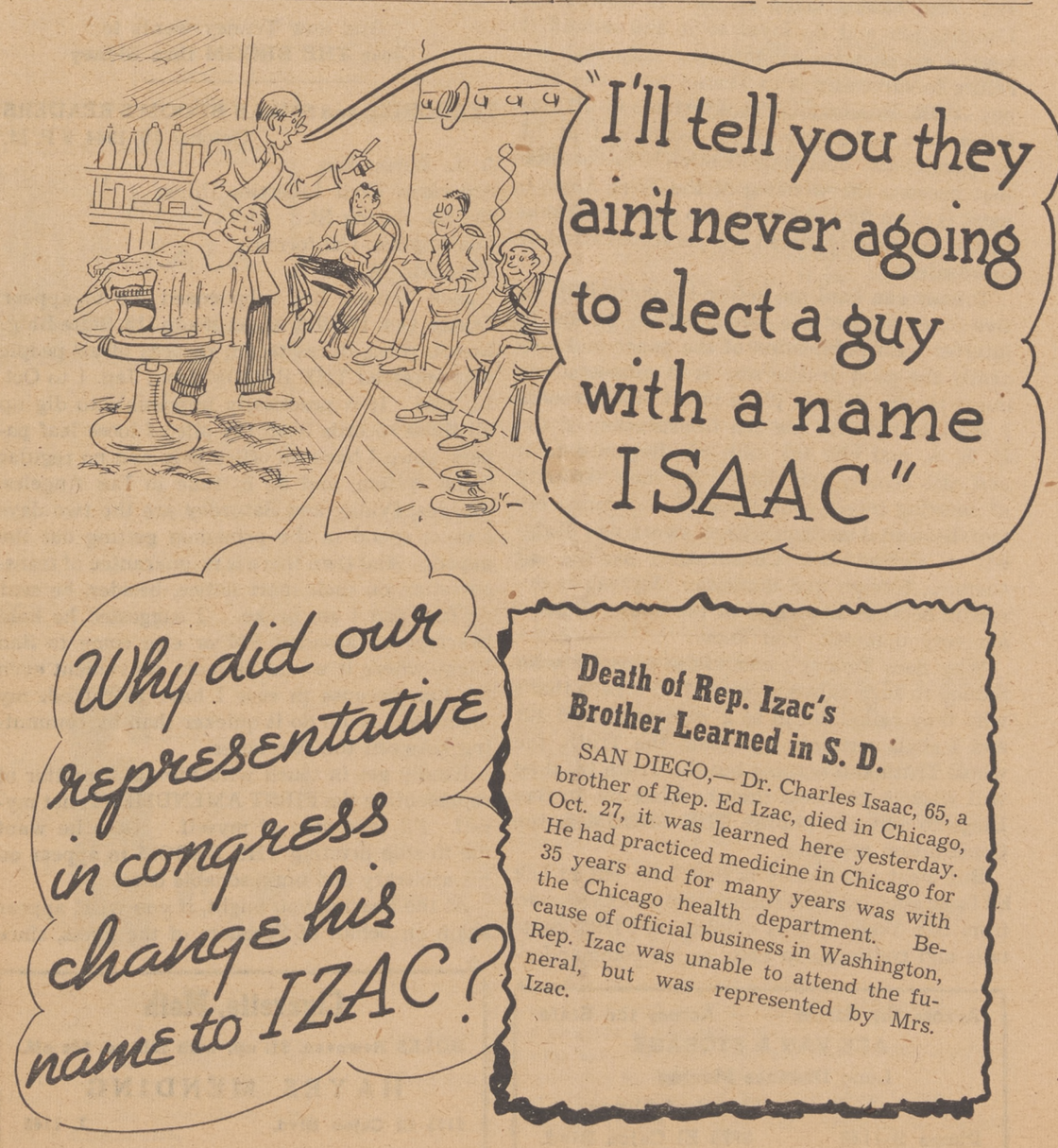
"I'll tell you they ain't never agoing to elect a guy with a name ISAAC"
Why did our representative in congress change his name to IZAC?

Death of Rep. Izac's Brother Learned in S. D.

SAN DIEGO,— Dr. Charles Isaac, 65, a brother of Rep. Ed Izac, died in Chicago, Oct. 27, it was learned here yesterday. He had practiced medicine in Chicago for 35 years and for many years was with the Chicago health department. Because of official business in Washington, Rep. Izac was unable to attend the funeral, but was represented by Mrs. Izac.

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What Is Tenney's Game ?

Our editor has been served with a subpoena by Jack B. Tenney, chairman of the joint legislative committee conducting investigations into alleged un-American activities in the state of California, to appear before that body in Los Angeles on Friday the 13th at 10 AM, duces tecum, bringing with him all records showing the names of persons to whom THE BROOM was sent since Jan. 1, 1944 to Oct. 12 and who contributed to the support of THE BROOM.

State Senator Tenney, evidently, has been pumped full of prunes, as the vernacular goes. Since FDR did not succeed in abolishing the U. S. Constitution as Commander-in-Chief, he is using, (or is it his unholy ghoster Judge Rosenman who inspired him to that act?), Tenney's committee in California to take the bad smell upon themselves and besmirch the fair name of the State of California, to vitiate the First Amendment to the U. S. Constitution which forbids legislation "respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech or of the press. . . . . "

It is too bad that a legislative committee of the State of California is thus misused to force the mal-odorous newdeal mal-administration of goyernmental power down our throats when the federal department of Justice, or department from Justice, is stumped by the problem of how to break the First Amendment, in both its religious and press freedom aspect, without creating a bad reaction among the voters that might affect this election in California. It is very convenient for law breakers and must have been cleared through Sidney. But on behalf of California, of my religious freedom and of the principle of a free American press, I am standing up and registering my most effective protest.

Under the Constitution, and it still is the Constitution and needs not clear its meaning through Sidney, taking an editor away from his work on publication day is unlawful because no legislative body is authorized to act in abridging the freedom of the press, which of course is done most drastically as you haul away the editor to Los Angeles while the paper is being made up, especially now, when through manpower shortage he has no proof reader available, etc. And having taken an oath to uphold the Constitution and be loyal to it and defend it against all enemies whomsoever, naturally, we refuse to surrender it to Tenney and even Sidney, FDR, Rosenman, Frankfurter and all termites who undermine it by declaring that "it is pernicious oversimplification" to assume that because the wording of the First Amendment is plain its meaning is also plain, as Frankfurter so properly stated the perverted mind of newdealers.

Tenney can haul me before his committee on five other days of the week, but no, he has to interfer with publication of the paper and naturally the most drastic way is to subpoena me, duces tecum, only in place of all other records I shall bring with me the Constitution of the U. S. A. and cite my oath of allegiance to it and call Tenney and Sidney for their temerity of entering into a conspiracy to undermine my morale as an American citizen, sworn and pledged to defend the Constitution against all enemies, foreign and domestic. My job is domestic because as a child of the house of Leo I am very domestic, you know.

Why does Tenney's committee conspire with Sidney to such subversive acts? Perhaps that's why they called me in as a witness to find out and I shall certainly tell them the Truth, the whole Truth and nothing but the Truth till they will wish to goodness they had left me in San Diego to edit and publish THE BROOM as the Constitution provides.

But what ails Sidney is that I am out to lick Ed Isaac alias Izac, the rubberstamp congressman from San Diego who is ridding on FDR's coattails and continues to vote, as his commander-in-chief dictates, to establish a military government in place of our constitutional republican administration in three branches, the legislative, judicial and executive departments.

And what worries Sidney most, since I don't head a labor racket as he does, is where do I get the dough to publish a six-page paper to expose his racket. Thus Sidney is clearing his skirts through Tenney who has to do the dirty work and destroy the freedom of the press in California.

Sidney wants the BROOM stopped and Tenney is out to oblige him. What better method than to haul in the editor on publication day, duces tecum him the subscriber's list and financial accounts, if any, and terrorize the readers and supporters of the paper so de Aryan will be too broke to chase the termites back to Russia whence they originated, or was it Zion? The Romans dispersed them out of Zion, that's how they got to land in Russia, says history. The Romans must have been very subversive indeed not to put up with those lovely but bloodthirsty Zionists, who even had Jesus crucified for sedition, mind you, because he refused to pull the chestnuts for the Zionists. Now they are after me for the same offense. Evidently they are as blind as bats in daylight.

But my oath of loyalty guides me and not Sidney, not Tenney, not the "commander- inchief" whose minions attempt to pull the editor away from his work in producing his paper. My crime is that I refuse to clear THE BROOM thru Sidney but to follow the Lord instead.

But where does de Aryan get his money? Oh, MY FRIENDS, the Hoy Ghost takes care of me, not the White House ghost, that haunts living sepulchres, white washed from the outside but full of carrion inside. Can you hear the skeletons rattle, again and again and again, you fathers and mothers?

The Lord Jesus Christ promised his disciples the company of the Holy Ghost. I took Him at His word and that's why He inspires people to send me what I need to do His work. No White House ghosts can scare me because I know the divine Spirit who rules supreme. That's where my money comes from, not from poll-taxing the CIO. There are hundreds of people who have decided to pay their tithes to THE BROOM as a religious duty to defend America against the Sidney Hillmans, the Frankfurters, Morgenthaus, Rosenmans and Roosevelts, etc. If Tenney does not like this kind of religion that lives up to its oath of loyalty to the Republic and makes us Republicans, then he is the one who needs investigating, for we are not subversive. If a bonafide editor can be forced to disclose the list of subscribers and financial contributors, then a bonafide minister, who does not clear his religion thru Sidney first before he muonts the pulpit, can be also dragged by Tenney, to please Sidney, to Los Angeles and COMMANDED to tell who the members of his congregation are. Would a true minister betray his flock to the wolves?

And here is where I stand up with our Lord Jesus Christ and you can hear the ringing of his voice: "Get thee behind me, Satan, for it is written thou shalt bow thy head only before the Lord, thy God. . . . . and thou shalt worship Him!"

And now Tenney wants to
Clear THE BROOM thru Sidney

TERRORIZE and SMEAR BROOM'S READERS

October 10, 1944, 9 P. M.

A. L. Wirin, Esq.
American Civil Liberties Union
257 So. Spring St.
Los Angeles, California.
Dear Mr. Wirin:

Jack Tenney has subpoenaed me to appear Friday, Oct. 13, 10 A. M., at Room 115, State Bldg. Los Angeles, duces tecum records of all people who received THE BROOM from Jan. 1 to Oct. 12, 1944. It is practically impossible to dig up all those records from the pile of loose leaf papers, since I have no office help and no regular filing system, and be in time in Los Angeles. Besides, Friday and Saturday are the two days I must spend in the printshop getting out the paper. And then there is no guarantee of transportation on such short notice, besides, he sent no fare and I am broke. I suggested he hold hearings on Monday PM or else come to San Diego where it would be more convenient even for him because in case I have to refresh my memory, I could do it quicker than by commuting between the two cities.

Kindly get in touch with him, as a matter of representing the FIRST AMENDMENT, not myself. I'll take care of myself. Does he want me to stop printing THE BROOM to appear on his arbitrary and unreasonable date?

At the hearing you might, if you wish, appear again on behalf of Freedom of the Press, since his purpose is to terrorize my readers and smear them. Sincerely, C. LEON de ARYAN.

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WESTERN UNION

Leon de Aryan, P. O. Box 349, ESD 5

Sorry, unable appear tomorrow Tenney Committee. —— A. L. Wirin, Los Angeles, Oct. 12, 1944, 6:19 P. M.

REDEEMS NOBLE'S PROMISE

October 10, 1944

E W. Miller, Attorney
448 So. Hill Street,
Los Angeles, 13, California.
My dear Mr. Miller:

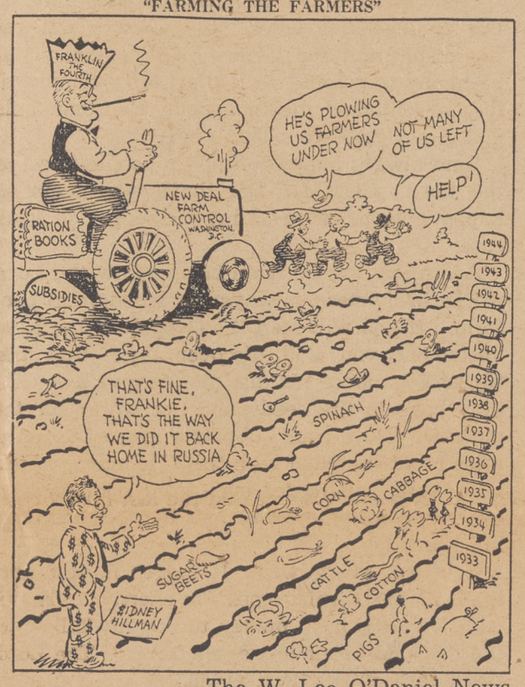
Robert Noble published a letter in THE BROOM in which he appealed for funds to defray the cost of the appeal in the Sacramento court conviction which you are handling. In that letter he stated that $100 had already been earmarked for that expense. Enclosed you find a $100 check to cover that promise. People who have faith in my integrity have sent me small amounts and added together I am able to redeem the promise published in THE BROOM.

Senator Jack Tenney has subpoenaed me to appear before him on Friday, Oct. 13, as you will see by enclosed reply to him. Should he send me the fare and insist on this Friday, I would like to have you along as my attorney, in case. Terms between us: Charity. The Lord generally provides so I am able to pay the bills even though the original terms be charity.

Will you kindly contact the Senator and find out the date.

Sincerely, C. LEON de ARYAN.

"FARMING THE FARMERS"



—The W. Lee O'Daniel News.

A VOTE FOR ROOSEVELT IS A VOTE FOR SIDNEY HILLMAN !

TO PROTECT THE REPUBLIC AND THE CONSTITUTION VOTE THE STRAIGHT REPUBLICAN TICKET !

WHAT AILED HIM

A fellow feeling worse than a losing candidate who got strung up on the Gallup Poll, called in his doctor who said: "U-u-uh. You have dizzy spells. You suffer from lack of sleep. You are irritable and over-sensitive. You are low-spirited. Your digestion is upset. You have a drawn, anxiout look on your face. Your heart beats irregular. Your skin is overly red. You perspire and have chills in turn. Your mind (if any) wanders. You are muscle-bound and have symptoms of os frontis mullygrubs. Ah-er, you seem to be suffering from complete elongated protuberating over-strained fatigue. May I ask if you know any contributing cause to your condition?"

"Yep, doc," the poor fellow replied, "I think it's because I'm tired of having to vote for Roosevelt for President."

The doctor grabbed his medicine bag and made a dash for the door. As he did he yelled back:

"You voted again for FDR? Then why did you call for me? You're a case for a veterinary doctor—or the asylum."

Roosevelt, Wagner Betrayed Labor

Mob rule is a terrible thing. The citizen sees his government, his police, all authority discredited and loses confidence in a free people to rule themselves.

So thousands of men and women joined out of fear and as the price of personal safety and peace which they were entitled to, anyway. They were not allowed to select "bargaining agents". They were forced to accept "bargaining agents" with commotion, insurrection, injury and death as the alternative.

Our law forbade the importation of professional strike-breakers and strong-arm men across state lines by large employers but no parallel law existed to punish those professional unioneers who imported terrorists to blockade plants and cripple whole areas of industry by tying up key, strategic works such as power stations.

Mr. Roosevelt's group in the Senate prevented the adoption of any such law. And the power to cripple whole areas was not restricted and therefore revolutionaries, Communists in the main, were handed a weapon with which they migh yet bring the whole nation to its knees without the requirement of even a pretense of a labor dispute between an employer and the workers.

Mr. Roosevelt drove millions of men and women into unions for purposes which have become alarmingly apparent in this campaign. He wanted their money for his campaign funds and the power and skill of the professional unioneer for his political organization.

His Wagner Act provided penalties against employers who coerce men and women to stay out of unions. But it did not forbid coercion and intimidation by union organizers, and we show some of the results in the great civil war which raged over Michigan, Ohio and Pennsylvania when the C. I. O. was shaping up under John L. Lewis, at the time one of Mr. Roosevelt's loyal and ruthless henchmen.

This was not mere strike trouble. It was civil war. Great gangs of strangers, trained, schooled and organized, would filter into a city, sign up a few local workers as the nucleus of a new union and then go into the streets to riot, pillage and terrorize.

Mr. Roosevelt used his influence to prevent the passage of any law which would abolish this power which certainly is a menace to the interests of all American labor, meaning all of us who must work to live.

There is no standard constitution for unions and consequently some union constitutions outrageously violate the rights of men and women who are forced to join them.

One, for example, compels involuntary joiners as well as voluntary members, to buy life insurance through the union, a percentage of the premium being paid by the insurance company to the son of the union's president.

Another constitution provides that the president, Jimmy Petrillo, may suspend or revoke any part of it at will and substitute his own decrees.

Another has been amended to kep the union president in office for life. These are samples of the conditions put upon the people by Mr. Roosevelt while he was professing to liberate them from coercion and fear.

Some unions compel the members to attend political rallies for radical candidates under penalty of fine for failure. Many of them right now, require the workers to contribute to his campaign funds regardless of their political preferences.

Some have sub-human classifications for large groups of workers in the less-skilled branches so that, in the voting, an unskilled man or woman is only one-hundredth of a man or woman because it takes 100 of their votes to equal one vote of a skilled member.

These are reasons, stated and explained earnestly and without passion, why I say **Mr. Roosevelt has seduced and betrayed labor.** This is what I mean when I say he is not a friend of labor but an accomplice of the union boss in the oppression of labor.—Westbrook Pegler.

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Father of National Labor Racket Act !

U. S. Senator Robert F. Wagner, N. Y.

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'Wilson', A Heinous Lie

(From THE LEADER, San Francisco)

"It is the common fate of the indolent to see their rights become a prey to the active. The condition on which God has given liberty to man is eternal vigilance; which condition if he breaks, servitude is at once the consequence of his crime and the punishment of his guilt."

WALL STREET TAKES SURVEY OF WILSON

All the indications pointed to Wilson, if the proper disposition to procure a political background for him could be arranged.

In one circumstance the conditions were perfect. Sixteen years of almost uninterrupted Republican control of the State and Bryanite control of the Democratic party had left New York without an outstanding competitor for the Democratic nomination. If Wilson, a resident of New Jersey, could be promoted to the governorship of that state, the proper political atmosphere might be provided. With such a background, he could be advanced as the candidate of the always political important Atlantic Seaboard.

Harvey's years of boosting now began to show its first fruits. Wilson was nominated and elected governor of New Jersey.

As president of Princeton University Wilson had managed to achieve a lot of publicity. By shrewd use of the old "democracy" catchword Harvey and his journalistic followers managed to make it profitable for him.

During his student days at Princeton, Wilson, as the son of a none-too-prosperous preacher, had cast a bilious eye at the privileged sons of wealth. As president of Princeton, he did his best to cramp their style, and these efforts were widely publicized as inspired by burning love for the popular fetish "democracy".

"THE DAMNEDEST LIAR IN THE WORLD"

He also engaged in other activities less lovely of aspect, and his devious courses in dodging responsibility led Grover Cleveland, then one of the directors of the affairs of Princeton, to characterize him as "the most intellectually dishonest man he had ever known." (This was the way we first saw it expressed in print. A subsequent and probably more accurate report quoted Cleveland as saying Wilson was "the damnedest liar in the world.")

Harvey had enlisted some formidable journalistic support. The most influential probably was that of Col. Henry Watterson, the brilliant editor of the Louisville Courier-Journal, who had a large following, especially in the South. There were others, too, but when the Democratic national convention assembled in Baltimore in the summer of 1912, Wilson was far behind Champ Clark, Speaker of the House, and for many lean years leader of the Democratic minority in that body.

Clark, in fact, had a majority of the delegates behind him and would have been nominated on the first ballot had it not been for the two-thirds vote rule, yoked on the party nearly a century before to secure Southern domination. He was a good, honest man, stood for the popular policies of the party, and through three campaigns had staunchly supported Bryan.

U. S. STEEL PUTS WILSON ACROSS

Yet, when it came to a showdown, Bryan was found in the camp of the enemy. Just how the miracle was accomplished is not known. For it was no less than a political miracle that could bring so honest, strong and clearsighted a man to join forces with those who had fought him so bitterly ever since his first apppearence on the political scene in opposition to the nomination of one who had always been his loyal adherent.

Bryan was the most adroit leader in the Wilson camp and his influence was immense. Telegrams over his signature were sent in droves to men who believed in him, urging them to wire in turn to delegates. Most of the recipients were in the rural communities, and when Clark delegates, influenced by them, began to waver, Bryan jubilantly declared, "the cornfields are being heard from."

But other wires were being pulled. Roger Sullivan, leader of the Illinois delegation, was routed out of bed at 2 o'clock in the morning by an emissary of the United States Steel and ordered to swing his followers into line for Wilson, and this proved the decisive factor. As Clark's support crumbled, Wilson's grew and he finally achieved the necessary two-thirds vote.

WILSON WINS ON MINORITY VOTE

It is strange indeed that even this last move failed to shake Bryan's support of Wilson, for Sullivan had always been one of his inveterate enemies. So bitter had Bryan's feeling been that during the convention of 1908, when Illinois was lined up against him, he compared the Sullivan outfit to a "gang of train robbers."

The most reasonable explanation of Bryan's course was that he hoped to achieve a deadlock in the convention of 1912 and a fourth nomination for himself by spoiling Clark's prospects. If that was his scheme, it failed utterly, and in Wilson he created a Frankenstein which was to undo its creator.

With Teddy Roosevelt splitting the Republican vote in twain by running for President on the Progressive party ticket (a nomination which he stole from Senator La Follette, who had organized that party) Wilson won the presidency by a minority vote.

THE REAL WILSON BEGINS TO APPEAR

He showed his colors early. The Democratic national platform had declared in favor of remitting the Panama Canal tolls in favor of American shipping. Had this been done our merchant marine—destroyed during the Civil War by British privateers and after the lapse of nearly a half a century an insignificant factor—could have been rapidly rebuilt. But Wilson vetoed a bill to that purpose, thereby winning an eulogistic editorial comment from the London Times, which more than made up in his estimation for the volume of unfavorable criticism in the American press.

In the same year (1913) he signed the Payne-Aldrich Federal Reserve bill, which delivered our banking system into the hands of the international bankers.

Bryan, who had joined his cabinet as Secretary of State, must have begun by then to discover what a mess he had made, but held his peace.

In the summer of 1914 the World War broke out. Wilson at first talked and acted like a genuine neutral, but when it became evident that Britain, as usual, was in jeopardy, he began to sing another song. With the sinking of the Lusitania and the loss of lives of Americans on board that ship—a loss he might have prevented by the exercise of true neutrality—he became rabid. Washington gossip reported that he went to Philadelphia that night and eased his tense feelings by getting gloriously drunk—incognito, of course.

WILSON AND HIS "SUNRISE CONFERENCE"

The unneutral policy of the administration disturbed Bryan profoundly. For years he had lectured with "The Prince of Peace" as his principal theme, and he could see that a continuation of the Wilsonian foreign policy must inevitably lead to war. He quit the cabinet in 1915, and with him disappeared the last hope of averting war.

Undoubtedly he had suffered many embarrassments. He afterwards confided to Harvey that "no man could remain under Wilson and retain his self-respect."

At Eastertide, 1916, Wilson summoned Senator William Stone of Missouri, Speaker Champ Clark of Missouri, and Leader of the Democratic majority in the House Claud Kitchen, of North Carolina, to the White House, and begged them to support him in a declaration of war. They emphatically refused. Unfortunately, the fact of this "sunrise" conference, as it came to be known, did not become public property until too late. Re-elected on the "he has kept us out of war" slogan, Wilson lost no time in steering the nation into war.

FATHER YORKE FORESAW SEQUEL

The incredible blindness of Bryan deceived him into supporting Wilson in the 1916 campaign. Again he had occasion to rue his gullibility.

Father Yorke had a clearer vision. Through The Leader he urged the election of Hughes, the Republican nominee. A stupid blunder on the part of certain California GOP leaders led Hughes to snub Hiram Johnson. The result was fatal. The election hinged on the California electoral vote, and on the face of the returns Wilson won the State by a majority of 3,000. According to subsequent report, the majority was more apparent than real. In other words, the election returns were manipulated, the election stolen—something nearly always possible when majorities are narrow. Mammon had no personal objection to Hughes, but with Wilson elected war was certain, and money can do wonders in such cases.

It is doubtful that one with Wilson's ardent anglomaniac prejudices needed any spur to do everything in his power for the British Empire, but it was reported that a scandal involving his name with that of a certain Mrs. Peck whom he had met during one of his vacations in Bermuda—like FDR he had a fondness for recreation under the Union Jack—was held as a constant club over his head during both his presidential trems. Mammon controlled the daily press, and only mention of the Peck scandal that got into print appeared in the Gaelic American.

Considering Hollywood's propensity for smut, it would seem strange that Zanuck's film should omit so "desirable" a feature as the Peck affair. Probably its omission is due to a desire to keep the "hero" entirely sympathetic and respectable; another seeming evidence of the film's political character.

(To be continued)

THE BOOK OF THE SACRED MAGIC OF ABRA-MELIN THE MAGE.

As delivered to His son Lamech by Abraham of Wurzburg, 1485. Paper Cover, $2.00 Post Paid.

Christian Spiritual University, 1011 South Harvard Boulevard, Los Angeles, 6, California.

"What In Hell Are You Kicking About ?"

(Condensed from 'Tulsa Daily World' of September 3rd, 1944.)

Asked the New Deal Bureaucrats of H. E. Chambers, Tulsa county Republican chairman, Tulsa, Oklahoma. He decided to be specific and replied to 32 items and since space does not permit us to reprint all of them—paraphrasing the New Deal booklet:

1—We let the Japs buy our scrap iron, altho we knew it will be used against us.

2—We told the people in Chicago in 1940 if they would elect KING ROOSEVELT for a third term, we would never send American boys across the waters to fight. Now we agree with CHURCHILL to furnish 75% of the man power against ENGLANDS 25%.

9—We financed the world on 'Lease Lend 1776' before our entrance into the war. We told our people, we would furnish the money and the rest of the Allies would furnish the boys to do the fighting.

12—We wanted a fourth term and thought a war would get it for us. So we let the Japs murder 3,900 officers and enlisted men at Pearl Harbor so we could have a war and remain in in office.

13—We forbid the sending of magazines and papers to our boys overseas, for fear they would learn the sentiments of the people at home.

18—We created thousands of boards and bureaus to make votes for us to take away the constitutional rights of the citizens.

20—We shipped enough sanitary napkins to Egypt to supply the world for a year, when the natives there, did not know what they were. Then rented all the vacant store rooms in which to store them, until they rotted and sent the empty ships home, full with sand.

26—We shipped our silver bullion, which was supposed to back our war bonds to foreign countries on 'Lend Lease 1776,' including Japan, Spain, Iran and Iraq and those countries melted it into native coins and will never return it.

29—We shipped to Spain millions of barrels of high test gasoline from the beginning of the war until now, when we knew they were giving it to Germany to enable them to kill our boys and Russians.

27—We claim to have the 'indispensible man' the world can not replace and intend to tax-spend and tax to elect him again.

32—We have built our New Deal on mistakes neglect, deceit, fraud and incompetency and then have the audacity to put out a political pamphlet titled:

"What in hell are you kicking about?"

—Women's Voice, Chicago.

Vote 'YES' on Proposition No. 12.

FOR YOUNGER PEOPLE

MRS. ELEANOR ROOSEVELLT's 60th birthday brings to light a statement which she made last April in discussing the subject of women's participation in peace negotiations:

"I'm nearly 60 and it isn't any use in anyone that age planning for world peace. Younger people have got to plan for it because they have got to live in it. At that age you don't have to take on responsibility you don't feel qualified for."

Could Mrs. Roosevelt have forgotten that Mr. Roosevelt is 62? —S. D. Union.

WORDS FROM THE PAST

Nothing that anyone can write today can be more descriptive than the words spoken by Franklin D. Roosevelt in 1932 in Wheeling, West Virgina. He was then a candidate for the first term as president and was trying to show the people what reason they had for changing their federal government director. He said:

"If this nation wants to know what is wrong with its national government I will give them the answer in one word: that is MISMANAGEMENT.

Humboldt Times Eureka, Calif, Oct. 14, 1943.

Dear Sir: Do you still publish your paper called The Broom? If you do let me know. I guess there is something interesting in it now election is almost here. I was just looking over some of the old copies of 1937. I even have some 1932 issues. I still like to look them over.

Mrs. H.

Candidate Dewey declares the United States must not promote a world-wide WPA program. Hooray! If other people want to lean on our shovels, let 'em buy 'em.

It may be a coincidence, but it is probable that the War Labor Board will decide two or three weeks before election day that the wage ceiling is too low.

TO PROTECT THE REPUBLIC AND THE CONSTITUTION VOTE THE STRAIGHT REPUBLICAN TICKET !

OLIVES

GIFFORD'S California Olives.

SOLAR AIRCRAFT NEWS

Solar Aircraft workers are to have a brand new cafeteria of their own—with all of the latest improvements, and the new eating house will open Tuesday, according to Ray Craig.

Since Solar took over the old Bernardini's, one-time famous cafe, several months ago, carpenters and other tradesmen have been busily remodeling the entire building.

There will be an arrangement whereby two lines of workers can be served cafeteria-style at one time, and sufficient capacity has been arranged to feed all of the shifts. There will be breakfast, lunch and dinner.

The cafeteria will be operated by Henry Langhorst, who for years was associated with Bernardini's.

Mayor Knox will officiate at a brief ceremony dedicating the new eating place, which fills a longfelt need at Solar.

PLANE TALK

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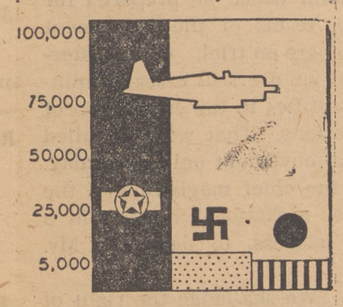
To power the attack against the enemy the United States will produce ten times as many planes in 1944 as the Axis total, and seventeen times as many aircraft as Germany will make, and more than twenty-two times the Japanese aircraft production, according to available estimates.

If the present rate of production continues, it is believed that at the end of this year the American aircraft industry will turn out over 100,000 planes to Armed forces, bringing to 260,000 the grand total produced since January 1940.



Germany is expected to build 6,000 new aircraft this year, while Japan's production is estimated at only 4,500. The Japanese rate, due to non-interference by bombing, has been increasing steadily since 1940, while the German rate has been declining steadily since the middle of 1942, when the allied offensive began to show results.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 33953

Estate of Truman Holman, also known as T. T. Holman, also known as Truman Thomas Holman, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by Chester D. Gunn, as the Administrator of the above entitled estate, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said decedent, that within six months after the first publication of this notice, they either file them with the necessary vouchers in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of San Diego, or present them with the necessary vouchers to the said Administrator at his place of business, Room 22, Court House, San Diego, California.

Signed, CHESTER D. GUNN, Administrator of the Estate of the above named decedent.

THOMAS WHELAN, District Attorney and County Counsel.

By Robert E. Jenson, Deputy.

Attorneys for said Administrator.

Dates of Publication: Oct. 16, 1944; Nov. 13, 1944.

THE INDISPENSABLE MAN

I'm an autocratic figure in these bureaucratic states
A dandy demonstration of plutocratic traits.
As the sun and moon and earth are part of one great plan,
Just so was I ordained to be, the indispensable man.
With Flynn and Nash and Wallace, Kelly, Hague and Cork,
And somewhere near to fifty billions worth of pork,—
With sucker votes all bought through years of dole,—
A million clackers well accustomed to toll,
I've known the while my lot would surely be
To save the world and make it over, just for me.

I hunted up that angel, the one who keeps the book,
And there beside a bubbling, heavenly brook,
I had it registered, inscribed and sealed on high,
So no one here below could possibly deny
That me and mine and those whom I have blessed,
Must ever in the saddle be, to rule and guide the rest.
'Tis just and right that I be thusly singled out and named,
For all that's good and true, I've always claimed,
Has sprung from me and mine,—but nearly all from me,
For I, am the great I am, of democracy.

For you "my friends" I've brought great social gains,—
How to hate your neighbor has been taught, with pains.
There now exists in this fair land not one monopoly,
Your job you buy from a racket, any one of three.
God only knows how many times I've scrambled the alphabet,—
On the Hall of Justice I've hung a nice new sign, "To let".
The honest men of Congress now shake with honest fear,
You know how my skunks of the air make them appear.
So, too you know you have at last in me
The one and only, the holy man of destiny.

Now "my friends" we have a war upon our hands,
It's been bungled and fumbled by men of other lands,
And were it not for me the world would soon be lost,
But I will save it, no matter what the cost.
It is my right to spend and waste your wealth,—
'Tis yours to give and sacrifice your time and health.
So, when at last this war is o'er and won,
I'll proudly say, "look you saps, see what I have done".
Then you poor jerks, on humble, bended knee
Can worship at my feet and bow your heads to me.

—H. L. Beach, 1525 S. E. 82nd Ave., Portland 16, Orgeon.

Robert Noble Tells His Experiences

(Conclusion)

Some of these defendants have lived lives of great usefulness and have been recognized by the mighty of the earth for their contributions to beauty, art and progress. Even these crucifying experiences have called forth from them poetry and song that will live beyond our day.

Here is a poetic song written by George Sylvester Viereck, author of twenty-odd books, while confined in the fearful Atlanta Federal Penitentiary:

BEHIND THE BARS
in S. T. U.

When I bemuse my bitter loss,
When the chain clanks, I think on Thee
Whom Pilate nailed upon the Cross
Between two thieves in Calvary.

Across all time my fancy roams,
I join the goodly company
That, hiding not in Catacombs,
Gave life to gain eternity.

The compass round in every clime
Courageous men wore chains like these,
Or quaffed with nonchalance sublime
The hemlock cup of Socrates.

The Shepherd Maid who came to save
France, got the faggot for her pain,
A dungeon for him who gave
New kingdoms to the kings of Spain.

From Paris-town's Bastille to Tower
Of London, through the ghostly gate
Flock singers, soldiers, knighthood's flower,
Sages and kings, who shared my fate.

I greet great queens who, having vexed,
The Tudor, lost their necks thereby,
In prison Bunyan penned his text
And Raleigh wrote his history.

Quaint jailhouse nightingales I hear,
One tune, in honey steeped and tears,
Outlives the Snows of Yesteryear
And will outring ten-thousand years.

There drifts to me across the sea
From Reading Gaol by Reading Town,
A heart-devouring melody
Men's slimy slander cannot down.

Brave spirits rally to my side
Who suffered wrong for conscience sake,
I marked the voice of him who cried:
"And yet she moves!"—to spite the stake.

Stout fighters come who braved all hell
For this dear land: when daylight ebbs
Among the ghosts that throng my cell
Are Peter Zender, Eugene Debs.

Stonewalls a prison make forsooth,
And iron bars a sturdy cage,
But they cannot shut out God's truth,
Nor blot my name from Freedom's page.

Note— by George Sylvester Viereck, as the poem was written, October, 1943 in Atlanta.—"Peter Zender, is the German American, who in Colonial days fought for the freedom of the press. Eugene Debs was confined like myself in Atlanta. S.T.U.—Special Treatment Unit, where political prisoners are segregated with the most recalcitrant criminals."

Do such beautiful sentiments come from the heart of criminals, from anti-social creatures who must be put away from society? Certainly not. When Mr. Viereck's captors are gone and forgotten he will be remembered as one of the enlightened gentlemen of our day. One familiar with the history and beauties of the past, intertwining them with the latest discoveries of our day that we and the future be freed from silly superstitions that keep us from enjoying life to the fullest.

And so into the midst of these defendants and their attorneys came a comet, a streaking scintillating comet that by its brillance has shown up the raggedness of the prosecutions' case and left the Judge almost in tatters. It has really almost been like a cyclone in its devastating effect upon the prosecution, the Judge and those evil folks back of this unprecedented persecution.

I am speaking of James J. Laughlin, brilliant Washington attorney brought into the case by Senator William Langer of North Dakota to defend Robert Noble. Mr. Laughlin realizing the political implications of the case entered the courtroom like a bombshell the reverberations of which have not only wrecked the "beautiful" picture set up by the prosecution and taken all the serenity away from this pompous Nudeal Cheap Justice and left him and them hanging from the chandeliers.

Upon his very first entrance he filed subpoenas calling for the testimony of Admiral Kimmel and General Short that the American people might have at last the low down on this Pearl Harbor business, since we were accused of suggesting that maybe a fellow named Roosevelt had been slightly responsible for this terrible disaster that catapulted us into this raging tornado of war.

This he quickly followed by the motion to attach and impound the records of the B'nai B'rith as mentioned herein and then as the trial was about to start he wrote a powerful letter to President Roosevelt pointing out that should the trial actually take place race prejudice would be aroused and that the Jewish people themselves were likely to suffer because of disclosures that were bound to be made. He begged the President to call off the impending spectacle.

The other day the Washington Post, published by Eugene Meyer, which had helped mightily in getting these indictments in the first place, said in an editorial, July 16th:

"We fear that whatever may be the outcome of this trial, it will stand as a black mark against American justice for many years to come."

Mr. Laughlin in reading this calmly remarked: "That just about takes us back to my letter to the President, don't you think?"

This man Laughlin is the kind of brilliant character you would like to think of having defend you if you got into trouble. It is detracting nothing from all these other fine men to say that he has been the dynamic spark-plug of the defense. Quicker on his feet, clear and bell-like colorful voice, winning, compelling presence, and fearless in his attack, he easily set the high standard of the defense. The jury came to immediate attention whenever he arose and when he came around to cross-examine a government stooge, they perked right up visibly as if to say "Now we are going to hear something", and they did.

The first question he shot at a fellow who had explained how he had been paid $35 a week by the B'nai B'rith to "investigate" the Bund was: "How long have you been a paid spy"? Objection, good gracious, what an uproar; but the jury certainly could not get over the pointed fact that he was just that, a paid spy.

(Finished, August 8, 1944).

Sedition Mistrial Asked, Based on President's Talk

SILVER SHIRT ATTACK BRINGS DEFENSE PLEA TO THROW OUT CASE

WASHINGTON,—Chief Justice Edward C. Eicher, presiding at the sedition trial, promised to give careful consideration to two defense motions for a mistrial and one for the case to be deferred until after the election because President Roosevelt referred in his speech to the Silver Shirts along with Mussolini's Black Shirts and Hitler's Brown Shirts.

William Dudley Pelley, one of the 26 defendants, formerly was leader of the Silver Shirts.

Justice Eicher directed all interested defense attorneys to file written motions and announced that they would be made a special order of business.

Calls Case Political Issue

Ethelbert B. Frey, attorney for Robert E. Edmondson, launched the disscussion in the absence of the jury. Speaking of the President's reference to the Silver Shirts, Mr. Frey said:

"It seems that this case is a political issue. In view of the President's statement, I ask that this case be continued (postponed) until after election."

J. Austin Latimer, counsel for George E. Deatherage, also temporarily representing Pelley in the absence of the latter's attorney, joined in the motion, later indicating his written demand would be for a mistrial rather than a postponement. Lawrence Dennis, a defendant acting as his own attorney, also prepared a written motion for a mistrial.

Mr. Latimer asked Justice Eicher if he heard or read the President's speech. The Judge said he had not and the attorney handed him a text.

Calls for Written Motions.

Reading the portion referring to the Silver Shirts, the court said further arguments would not be heard at this time, but he directed all counsel who cared to file written motions.

Defense attorneys plan to contend in their written demands that the jury must have been hopelessly prejudiced against Pelley and the defendants in general by the President's remarks. They were drafting motions arguing that, while the jurors were instructed not to read about the trial, they could not have been expected to anticipate a reference to one of its issues in a speech by the President.

Since the defendants are charged with conspiracy, it was pointed out, the case of one cannot be separated from those of the others.

"Facts Painfully Simple"

"The facts are painfully simple," Mr. Dennis said in a memorandum which he prepared for the court. "By the terms of the indictment the Silver Shirts are here on trial. Only yesterday, and now today, we are still cross-examining a witness who testifies to the circulation of Mr. Pelley's publications. That witness called Mr. Pelley's group a movement only yesterday. A few hours later the chief magistrate of the Nation saw fit, over a National hookup in a political campaign address, to denounce Mr. Pelley's movement."

M. Dennis added: "We shallenge the right of the President or any other Federal official to use free time given him over the radio to denounce a defendant in this trial. We hold that this executive intervention in this trial is the last straw."

Mr. Roosevelt's reference to the Silver Shirts occurred after he had assailed charges that the administration was part of a plot to "sell out our democracy to the Communists." He said:

"This form of fear propaganda is not new among the rabble rousers and fomenters of class hatred, who seek to destroy democracy itself. It was used by Mussolini's Black Shirts and by Hitler's Brown Shirts. It has been used before in this country by the Silver Shirts and others on the lunatic fringe."

Purge Trial Now Drags On Night Schedule

PRESIDENT'S SLAP AT SILVER SHIRTS BRINGS MOTIONS FOR MISTRIAL

WASHINGTON, (Special) October 8,—The New Deal's purge trial of its critics ended the 25th week on Friday, with a new lunchless schedule of hours in effect, from one to six p. m. each afternoon, Monday to Thursday; to allow the attorneys some chance to make a living; especially the 19 court-appointed barristers.

The "Moscow" style trial is expected, at the present rate, to run until the middle of 1945, or over one year from its opening day, April 17. But if the GOP wins the election, trial is expected to end abruptly.

(The writers of the Constitution put in two seperate and distinct prohibitions of this sort of a mass trial; but what is the Constitution between two New Dealers?)

Incidentally, William Power(less) Maloney, the New Deal stooge, who hatched the case originally, told Commissioner Cotter in New York at a hearing for Editor William Griffin in October, 1942, that he **expected to complete the trial in two or three weeks, once it got under way ! ! ! !**

The brilliant editor Griffin was one of eleven of Maloney's intended victims who were vindicated by the third grand jury.

MANY DEFENDANTS ABSENT

It is the most peculiar trial in world history. It suspended for one day last week to allow a juror to attend to some pressing business.

During much of the week about half of the defendants were not present. Where they were was a great puzzle to reporters for the red newspapers, N. Y. "Post," "Daily Worker" and "PM."

These hate sheets apparently do not know that in America a man is presumed to be innocent until proved guilty and convicted in a legal court.

FDR's Talk Brings Motions

The most startling event of the week was the bitter and pessimistic talk of "Commander" F. D. Roosevelt on Thursday night, smearing the GOP statesmen as following the Hitler and Mussolini "shirt" line, along with that of William Dudley Pelley's "Silver Shirts."

FDR's bringing in of Pelley's "Silver Shirts", prominently connected and featured by the prosecution in the so-called "Sedition" trial, resulted in the entire defense staff, including Lawrence Dennis and Ellis O. Jones for themselves, to rise as a body and demand a mistrial, because some of the jurors are presumed to have heard the Roosevelt speech, prejudicing the case most severely. FDR put some of the defendants "on the lunatic fringe."

Oral and written motions were filed, and Judge Eicher took them under advisement.

ANTI-COMMUNISTS LISTS

Prosecutor Rogge has placed in the record the lists of about 50,000 names of persons receiving printed matter pertaining to Communism and Red Jews.

Victor Riesel, the little Russian who writes interestingly even if rabidly biased, reported in his N. Y. "Post" article recently that lawyer and defendant Victor Broenstrup had copied 10,000 of the names for political propaganda purposes and was copying the other 40,000 names as rapidly as possible.

Riesel delights in word-cartooning of Mrs. Elizabeth Dilling. He was disturbed by her political activity for Dewey and the G. O. P., stating that she had sent out 20,000 releases of her "Bulletin", which Riesel said was "rabidly Anti-Semitic."

Mrs. Dilling says she has never attacked one innocent Jew, but only those who are fanatically "red" and Anti-Christian.

She has plenty of admirers and sympathizers among Christian Americans, who are alarmed at the inroads of Communism via the New Deal bureaucracy.

GERALD SMITH EJECTS 'UNDER COVER' AUTHOR FROM PRESS MEETING

NEW YORK,— Gerald L. Smith, America First party nominee for President, bodily ejected from a press conference John Roy Carlson, whose book, "Under Cover", attacks alleged Fascist tendencies in the United States.

Mr. Smith, after saying his followers in New York State, where his name is not on the ticket, would support Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, attacked articles written by Mr. Carlson about him.

Mr. Carlson, who was sitting with reporters, spoke up, "Do you know who I am? I'm Carlson."

Mr. Smith leaped to his feet, shouted "get out," then grabbed the author by the arm and pushed him out the door.

"You're a phoney and a faker," the writer shouted back.

Dear Mr. de Aryan:

You are doing a good work—think you now have a good many subscribers from this section—in fact I **know** you do.

Enclosed $2.00 to continue my subscription.

If we **all** keep our "Buzzsaws" busy we are bound to win—more power to you.

Sincerely, — — — E. C.

Sedition Juror Poll Asked on Whether They Heard President

WASHINGTON,—Two demands that the jurors in the sedition case be polled to determine whether any of them heard or read President Roosevelt's reference in his speech Thursday to an organization figuring in the trial were filed in District Court.

Chief Justice Edward C. Eicher deferred ruling on these motions. The petitions were based on the alleged probability that the President's comment so prejudiced the jury against the defendants that a fair trial is impossible.

Move Called Necessary

The motions to poll the jury were made by E. Hilton Jackson and John W. Jackson, representing Gerald B. Winrod, and Ethelbert B. Frey, attorney for Robert E. Edmondson. Mr. Frey's motion was made contingent on the court's denial of his previous motion to defer the trial until after the election.

The motion for Winrod asked the court to find out whether the President's address was "heard, read or discussed by the jurors or any of them."

Such a move is necessary, said the attorneys, to avoid miscarriage of justice, since otherwise a supposition of prejudice would continue throughout the trial.

The President referred to the Silver Shirts "and others on the lunatic fringe," linked the organizations founded and led by William Pelley, a defendant, with Hitler's Brown Shirts and Mussolini's Black Shirts.

Delays All Decisions

The court, after hearing brief arguments from two defense attorneys, delayed further consideration of all the motions involved until the next afternoon.

Pending disposition of the mistrial and postponement motions, the trial continued and a prosecution witness, Miss Herma Jefferys, completed he testimony.

Miss Jefferys, formerly employed by Pelley, told of seeing two other defendants at his publishing plants. She said she saw Howard V. Broenstrupp at Noblesville, Ind., where Pelley published several magazines, several times between the fall of 1941 and the spring of 1942. In 1938, she testified, she saw Ernest F. Elmhurst at Pelley's publishing office in Asheville, N. C.

WHAT NEXT ?

Editor de Aryan did not appear last Friday the 13th before the Tenney committee but worked in the printshop as usual, getting out the paper.

Dear Mr. de Aryan:
San Diego, Calif.

Dear Soul: I thank God we have a man of your understanding and urge in America. A man with enough intestinal fortitude to tell the truth regardless of everything. Truth is good for everyone, patriot and rascal alike.

Your Broom is like a big search light on a very dark night.

Your article entitled Politics and Personality in the current issue is grand.

Any power that stands for group legislation as the New Deal does, should be pulled out by the roots.

Mr. Voter better do some real thinking before casting his or her vote this fall, I am yours sincerely — — B.V.

RIGHT OF EMPLOYMENT. Initiative Constitutional Amendment. Adds Section 1A to Article I. Declares right of employment, free from interference because employee does or does not belong to or pay money to a labor organization. Declares interference with such unlawful and provides remedy for court action. Declares section self executing, and authorizes legislation to facilitate its operation.

12 | YES | X
NO |

(Political Adv)

WASHINGTON SQUIRREL CAGE by Morris A. Bealle, price $2. Published by the Columbia Publishing Co., 709 Carpenters Bldg., Washington, D. C. —Adv.

The Sun Work Shop

Good THOUGHT

Good WORD — Good DEED

Letter of Pontius Pilate to Caesar

The history of Christ's three years' ministry, trial, death, burial and resurrection, by Pontius Pilate, copied April 7th, 1893, from original scroll in Greek, now in the Vatican Library at Rome.

Editor's Note: We have been repeatedly asked for more copies containing this letter, so that we are compelled to reprint it to supply the demand.

This remarkable record is indeed very interesting, and it seems upon good authority that there are thousands of similar ones at Rome and Constantinople bearing upon a variety of subjects. Some of them are in Hebrew, some in Greek and others in Latin, etc. Many of them have never been translated and given to the world at large.

The most interesting collection of these records was published many years ago in book form under the title of "The Archko Volume," but we are sorry to say that this book is now out of print.

To Tiberius Caesar, Emperor of Rome, Noble Sovereign, Greeting:—

(Continued from last week)

A type of a man unknown to our numerous painters who have given form and figure to all the gods and heroes. There was nothing in him that was repelling in its character, yet I felt awed and tremulous to approach him. "Jesus," said I to him at last, and my tongue faltered, "Jesus of Nazareth, I have granted to you for the last three years ample freedom of speech, nor do I repent it. Your words are those of a sage. I know not whether you have heard Socrates or Plato, but this I know, there is in your discourse a magnetic simplicity that elevates you far above those philosophers. The Emperor is informed of it and I, his humble representative in this province, am glad of having allowed you that liberty of which you are so worthy. However I must not conceal from you that your discourses have raised up against you powerful and inveterate enemies. Neither is this surprising. Socrates had his enemies and he fell victim to them. Yours are doubly incensed against you because of your discourses being so severe against their conduct, and against me on account of the liberty I have afforded you. They even accuse me of being indirectly leagued with you for the purpose of depriving the Hebrews of the little civil power which Rome has left them. My request, I do not say order, is that you be more circumspect and moderate in your discourses lest you arouse the pride of your enemies and they raise against you the stupid populace and compel me to employ the instruments of law.

The Nazarene calmly replied: "Prince of the earth, your words proceed not from true wisdom; say to the torrent to stop in the midst of the mountain gorge or it will uproot the trees of the valley; the torrent will answer you that it obeys the laws of nature and the Creator. God alone knows whither flows the waters of the torrent. Verily I say unto you, before the rose of Sharon blossoms the blood of the just shall be spilt."

"Your blood shall not be spilt," said I with deep emotion, "you are more precious in my estimation because of your wisdom than all the turbulent and proud Pharisees who abuse the freedom granted them by the Romans. They conspire against Caesar and convert his bounty into fear, impressing the unlearned that Caesar is a tyrant and seeks their ruin. Insolent wretches, they are not aware that the wolf of the Tiber sometimes clothes himself with the skin of a sheep to accomplish his ends. I will protect you against them. My pretorium shall be an asylum sacred both day and night."

Jesus carelessly shook his head with a grave and divine smile and said, "When the day shall have come there will be no asylums for the Son of man." Pointing to the heavens, "That which is written in the books of the prophets must be accomplished."

"Young man," answered I mildly, "You oblige me to convert my request into an order. The safety of the province which has been confined to my care requires it. You must observe my orders; you know the consequences. May happiness attend you. Farewell."

"Prince of the earth," replied Jesus, "I came not to bring war into the world, but peace, love and charity. I was born on the same day on which Augustus Ceasar gave peace to the Roman world. Persecutions proceed not from me; I expect it from others and will meet it in obedience to the will of my Father who has shown me the way. Restrain, therefore, your worldly prudence; it is not in your power to arrest the victim at the foot of the tabernacle of expiation."

So saying he disappeared like a bright shadow behind the curtains of the Basalic, to my great relief, for I felt a heavy burden on me from which I could not extricate myself in his presence. To Herod, who then reigned in Galilee, the enemies of Jesus then addressed themselves to work their vengeance on the Nazarene. Had Herod consulted his own inclinations he would have had Jesus immediately put to death; but though proud of his regal dignity he yet was afraid of committing an act that might diminish his influence with the Senate; or like me, was afraid of Jesus himself. But it would never do for a Roman officer to be scared by a Jew.

Previous to this Herod called on me at the Pretorium, and on rising to take leave after some insignificant conversation, asked me what was my opinion concerning the Nazarene? I replied that Jesus appeared to me to be one of those great philosophers that great nations sometimes produce. That his doctrines are by no means sacrilegious; and that the intentions of Rome were to leave him that freedom of speech which was justified by his actions. Herod smiled maliciously, and saluting me with an ironical respect, departed.

The great feast of the Jews was approaching and the intention was to avail themselves of the populace's exultation for the populace always manifests itself at the solemnities of a passover. The city was overflowing with a tumultuous populace, clamoring for the death of the Nazarene. My enemies informed me that the treasures of the Temple had been employed in bribing the people. The danger was pressing. A Roman centurion had been insulted. I wrote to the prefect of Syria for a hundred foot soldiers and as many cavalry. He declined. I saw myself anlone with a handful of veterans in the midst of a rebellious city too week to suppress a disorder and having no other choice left but to tolerate it.

They seized upon Jesus; and the seditious rabble, although they had nothing to fear from the Pretorium, believing, as their leaders had told them, I winked at this sedition, continued vociferating "Crucify him! Crucify him!" Three powerful parties had at that time combined together against Jesus. First the Herodians and Sadducees, whose seditious conduct seemed to have proceeded from double motives. They hated the Nazarene and were in fear of the Roman yoke. They could never forgive me for having entered the Holy City with banners that bear the image of the Roman Emperor and, although in this instance I had committed a fatal mistake, yet the sacrilege did not appear less heinous in their eyes.

Another grievance also rankled in their bosoms. I had proposed to employ a part of the treasurers of the temple in erecting edifices for public utility. My proposal was scorned. The Pharisees were the avowed enemies of Jesus. They care not for the government. They bore with bitterness the severe reprimands, which the Nazarene for three years, had continually been throwing out against them wherever he went. Too weak and pusillanimous to act by themselves, they had embraced the quarrels of the Herodians and Sadducees.

Besides these three parties I had to contend against the reckless and profligate populace always ready to join the sedition and to profit by the disorder and confusions that resulted therefrom.

Jesus was dragged before the High Priest, Caiaphas performed a devisory act of submission. He sent the prisoner to me to pronounce his condemnation and secure his execution. I answered him, that as Jesus was a Galilean the affair came under Herod's jurisdiction and ordered him to be sent thither. The witty Tetrarch professed humility and protesting his deference to the lieutenant of Caesar, he committed the fate of the man in my hands. Soon my palace assumed the aspect of a besieged citadel. Every moment increased the number of seditionists. Jerusalem was inundated with crowds from the mountains of Nazareth. All Judea appeared to be pouring into the devoted city. I had a wife from among the Gauls who pretended to see into futurity. Weeping and throwing herself at my feet, "Beware," said she, "Beware and touch not the man, for he is holy. Last night I saw him in a vision; he was walking on the water; he was flying on the wings of the wind; he spoke to the tempest and to the fishes of the lake; all were obedient to him. Behold the torrent of Mt. Kedron flows with blood. The statutes of Caesar are filled with gemonide. The Columns of the Interium have given away, and the sun is veiled with mourning like a vestal in the tomb. Ah, Pilate, evil awaits thee if thou wilt not listen to the vows of thy wife. Dread the curse of the Roman Senate. Dread the frown of Caesar." (To be continued)

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CHATS WITH GLADYS

"Honi Soit Qui Mal Y Pense"

Since the last instalment of this column appeared in THE BROOM, a veritable transformation has taken place, both in the writer and this paper. It used to be a San Diego paper, but now the number of out of city subscribers and readers exceeds the city wide circulation. THE BROOM has been transformed into a nationally read weekly without any special design of our own to that effect, merely by dealing with subjects of world importance. This increased our local independence so that we can speak with even greater recklessness than before and call a spade a shovel, which it is.

The personal transformation in the writer took place as a result of his espousing the cause of the Christ right in the teeth of a war-crazy world who gives lipservice to the Lord but has no Faith in Him whatever and places all its faith in force, violence, murder, bribery, corruption, treachery, double talk, exploitation and abuse of gullible humanity. This daring to espouse the cause of Christ and Humanity, as against the murderous service of the Devil and its inhumanity, has worked a marvel in us. While it has reduced us literarily to skin and bones, as happened to Daniel, whom not even the lions could consider fit for a meal, and to Ghandi who lives inspite of opposition to the Christ-principle by the British Raj, it has given us an inner fire and radiance that surpasses human reasoning.

For the benefit of new and old readers I shall shed some light on the identity of Gladys, a very lovely young woman who adores me and is absolutely free and frank in her affectionate indulgence with Kosti, which gives us both much joy and profit and restores our balance in a world hell-bent for murder and the worship of Satan. Our mutual relationship is a safety valve both physically and spiritually and exemplifies the scriptural promise of the Lord: "When two or three come together in my name, I shall be among them. Love ye therefore one another even as I love you".

The idea of writing a Gladys column originated when a young matron with a handful of children had to bury her husband and take over the labors and responsibilities of raising them. Her name happened to be Gladys. We discussed some of her cares and the chats with her inspired me to embellish the subject, add a dash of the romantic and "Chats with Gladys" were born. Since that time numerous fans and admirers have entered and passed thru my sphere of Life, each adding a new thought and enriching us both thru the association. One of the most remarkable effects has been that in various instances where the girl had decided to leave her husband, after associating with me she changed her mind and became a better wife and mother. Indeed, the Lord moves in mysterions ways his wonders to perform.

The main point in Life is integrity. As long as people are natural and frank in their dealings with one another, misunderstandings and enmity disappear. When they take pride in outsmarting each other, of course, treachery and war results. Thus, when Blondie put the emphasis on smartness rather than integrity, she took the devious road that leads to hell and its bitter experiences before human pride breaks down and worships the Truth.

THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN

"Kosti, tell me," said Gladys, "how do you manage to survive this Jewish boycott, issue THE BROOM without advertising revenue and not be bitter in your heart?"

"That is quite simple, my child. I have divorced myself completely from the idea of owning THE BROOM, and to make it legal, Fred accepted the titular responsibility of ownership. I simply realized that I am too puny and limited a person to buck a whole world, so I don't even try. The world is brutal and treacherous, Jew-controlled, not Christ-inspired, it takes pride in double talk, bribery and murder. It serves the notion of Might making Right and, naturally, little me could not buck the whole outfit and survive personally. This paper is the Lord's, devoted to His service for the present as well as future generations."

"Is Fred representing the future generations?"

"He represents the interests of our progeny. We do not live for ourselves alone, but for our children too, so our actions must be shaped for their benefit as well as our own."

"Do you have that continually in mind?"

"It's simpler than that even. I am such a small and puny item in this big, wide world, that I have stopped planning and scheming. I merely live for the instant NOW. The future must take care of itself. NOW is all I am centered on. I simply do the task of the moment and leave the rest to the Lord, for I could not possibly pit myself personally against a war-crazy world and survive. So I retired from the world, even though I live in this world, and listen to the still small voice to catch on to what the Divine Principle teaches me to do in each instance. I do it and the consequences are the Lord's care, not mine. In this fashion I have reversed the tables. Instead of me bucking FDR, Churchill, Hitler, Stalin with their allied hordes of murder-worshippers, they are bucking the Lord and His Rule."

And Gladys opened her eyes wide; she almost stopped breathing with surprise how simple it is.

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—Chicago Tribune.

What Killed Wendell Willkie?

DID THE DOCTORS BURY THEIR MISTAKE?

DENVER,— Four doctors, while acclaiming the wonders of two recent "miracle drug discoveries"—sulfas and penicillin, cautioned 500 members of the Colorado State Medical society meeting in Denver that misuse of the drugs could cause serious physical harm.

Dr. Osgoode S. Philpott and Dr. James J. Waring of Denver, and Dr. William W. Webster of Greeley, declared the danger of the sulfa drugs lies in sensitivity, overdosage and continued use which would result in destruction of blood cells, and weakness.

Capt. Harold E. Miller of Fitzsimons General army hospital said penicillin is not particularly dangerous and is not poisonous but must be limited to specific types of infection.

"I DON'T APOLOGIZE TO ANYBODY" FOR BEING A JEW—HILLMAN

NEW YORK—"I don't apologize to anybody" for being a Jew and a naturalized American, Sidney Hillman, chairman of the CIO Political Action Committee, stated in a speech before the annual convention of the United Electrical, Radio and machine Workers, in which he said:

"Red-baiting and Jew-baiting go hand in hand . . . It is not surprising that Hitler has for years been calling Mr. Roosevelt a Jew, that the native American fascists have been screaming about the 'Jew Deal' and that Hearst-McCormic-Patterson Axis rarely misses an opportunity when discussing PAC to drag in the fact that I am a Jew and that I was born in Lithuania. . . And I don't apologize to anybody for it.

"Anti-Semitism and the Bolshevik bogey have been the basic propaganda lines for German, Italian and Spanish fascism for years. They are the basic propaganda lines of American reaction."

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SOCRATIC TEACHING OF ECONOMICS—THE QUIZ

(Continued from last week.)

(7) Are not the two chief divisions of Henry Georgeism,— one which would allow private ownership, but make a single tax upon land the sole basis of State revenues, and the other wherein the state would "own" all the land and rent it out to individnals and companies?

A—Yes, you are again wise: some of the HG teaching agencies are confusing Single Tax with communism or "MAKING LAND COMMON PROPERTY".

(8) Is not most land already "taxed" to the limit? Have there not been cities which, during the depression, put up and sold from 10% to 40% of all realty in the city for taxes? (I knew of a two-story building in Jersey City upon which the owner paid $900 a year taxes, but was compelled to accept a rental of only fifty dollars a month because that was all he could get, and the storekeeper who rented it was unable to keep up his rents, went into bankruptcy, while the property was sold for taxes at less than it cost). What difference would it have made to the merchant whether the land had been "owned" by the state in the first place or the privte owner who "lost his shirt?"

A—Though, in spite of the case you know of, proving the rule, the total UNTAXED land values in the USA equals all other wealth, around $200 billion!

(9) Is it not a fact that during the "money famines" (called "depressions") great businesses and factories of all sizes have gone broke, and have had their lands sold for taxes? Did not half the automobile factories of America go broke, such as the Pierce-Arrow, Cord, etc.? Are not two-thirds of all the automoblie names of the past forty years only memories? Have not three-fourths of all the railroads in America gone broke at one time or another? Would it have helped them to have operated on government-owned land, which "socked" them with a greatly increased tax for the mere use of the land?

A—You are presenting the best argument for the Single Tax change demanded!

(10) If we accept the principle of private ownership of industrial machinery, tools, houses and dwellings—even including railroads, while reserving the land ownership to the State, to which group would the men of industrial brains be more likely to turn? Would it not be the political control of the land, rather than to manufacturing? Would not smart men be afraid to invest in a factory, when the land on which it rested was controlled by a political bureaucracy, inimical to him?

A—You are arguing against Communism, which in view of the teaching illiteracy referred to, is easy to confuse with Georgeism, to which it is the absolute opposite.

(11) Is it not universally held by the greatest of thinkers that the stronger the central government, the more enslaved the people become? And would not the placing of all America's land under the control of the New Dealers bring about the complete destruction of the American "way of life", ideals and a republican form of government, and the substitution of a despotism?

A—Again, you are 100% Georgist through you can hardly be blamed for not knowing it.

Mormon Leader Hits Closed Shop

SALT LAKE CITY,—Dr. Joseph F. Merrill, an apostle of the Latter Day Saints (Mormon) church, told ecclesiastical leaders at the 115th semi-annual conference the union closed shop "is based upon selfishness run riot".

"It ignores the basic principle that all men are equal before the law and no one should be deprived of his right to 'life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness'," he asserted, adding:

"This is the very foundation upon which this republic was founded. To weaken or destroy the foundation is to endanger the very existence of our republic.

"But now—is it due to the emergencies of war? —the bureaucrats have taken over. Personal liberties have been restricted. In order to serve his country in a war service or war production plant, a man must join a union, so it is said, and pay initiation fees as well as dues, as required by closed shop agreements."

"It is said," Merrill continued, "the closed shop is necessary for the union movement. If so, let the union movement fail. The right to work is absolutely fundamental."

ANTI-PARKING METER COURT MOVE O. K.d

Superior Judge Robert Burch has granted the city of San Diego permission to file an amended answer to a complaint, lodged in superior court by C. Leon de Aryan, which seeks the removal of parking meters from the city streets. The case went off calendar and will be heard at a date to be set later.

de Aryan filed the complaint in March and the city demurred. An amended complaint was subsequently filed by de Aryan and the city answered July 3. Burch's action grants the city the right to file a supplemental answer to de Aryan's amended complaint.

Vote 'YES' On No. 12

That opponents of Proposition 12 are misquoting national leaders and prominent organizations, and are using their names without proper authority in an effort to defeat the measure, was charged by Harry E. Whittemore, Chairman of the San Diego Committee for the Right to work.

According to Whittemore, campaign literature of the A. F. of L. lists Eric Johnston, president of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce, as being opposed to the amendment.

"Our own state committee is in receipt of a letter from Johnston, written at Spokane on September 1st, 1944," said Whittemore. "The complete letter reads:

"In reply to your letter of August 24th, I know nothing about Proposition Number 12 which you claim is on the ballot in the state of California. As president of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce, it is never my policy to interfere in local state matters. Yours very truly, Eric A. Johnston."

"This is but one of the numerous examples of the tactics of desperation by the opponents of this measure which restores the individual freedom of California workers to join a union or not to join," alleged Whittemore.

He concluded that while the passage of Proposition 12 would bring back to workers the freedom our forefathers fought for in 1776, the only ones who could be hurt in any way are labor leaders and those with financial interest in compulsory closed shop contracts.

WHO IS THIS GUY ?

Editor, The Broom:

Outside of a trade he might learn, his knowledge is limited to naming stars of football and baseball, boxing champs, wrestling mugs, movie finds and, being an ardent reader of detective mags, a few notorious bank robbers.

His vote on radio entertainment goes to a wooden dummy, and his favorite comic strip is the illiterate spinach guzzling and fist slinging Pop-Eye.

He thinks not for himself. The affairs of his country worry him not. Nor does he know or give a dam what government is all about. He says: "The world owes me a living," and is perfectly satisfied with three lousy squares and a place to flop. His one big aim in life is to get back on the W. P. A. and pension list.

When gyped out of a house and home he hasn't the guts to squawk, but brags about being "able to take it". Attracted by promises of "something for nothing", he is a mark for spurious promotors and racketeers; a dupe ever ready to sign on the dotted line.

On election day, a sucker for political propaganda, he goes to the polls a blindfolded mental blank and casts his vote for the most efficient mud slinger who promises him "the abundant life" and roses blooming on a wind blown desert.

So yuh ups an asts: "Who is dis guy?"

An de gee sez: "Jes' youse'n me, Bo. Youse'n me ana coupla million udder saps what ups an votes fer a buncha grifters what takes us down de line fer three hunnert billion bucks an brags: "We's average Americans."

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ROOSEVELT BACKS ZIONIST PROGRAM

WASHINGTON,—Rabbi Stephen S. Wise conferred with President Roosevelt and later told reporters that the president "as a candidate" gives his full support to a Democratic platform plank favoring unrestricted immigration in Palestine.

Dr. Wise requested the president to send a message to the Zionist Organization of America which opens its 49th convention in Atlantic City Friday. He said the presidential message probably will be delivered to the convention by Sen. Wagner (D-NY).

Asked how he stood in the presidential campaign, Dr. Wise chuckled and said:

"I am absolutely neutral as between the president and the Democratic candidate."

The premature release of Henry Morgenthau's fiendish blueprint for the economic dismemberment and enslavement of postwar Germany is having a salutary effect on public opinion in the United States. Countless Americans who have been bemused into accepting the Administration's foreign policies on faith were shocked by the realization that Morgenthau's madness may be only a sample of dangerous hysteria and cockeyed confusion in the higher councils of our government.

The hostile reaction of the nation generally to the Morgenthau plan caught the Administration unawares. Even so Administration-worshipping a daily as Marshall Field's Chicago Sun and so cordial a columnist as Marquis Childs expressed pained surprise that the Administration could harbor such dangerous nonsense and shocked amazement that it would be made public just in time to help Dr. Goebbels rally faltering German morale.—The Progressive.

VOTE 'YES' ON NO. 12

Dear Mr. de Aryan:

There is quite a bit on the radio here about question 12. Is it a law in Calif., that everyone must join a union?

How do you think one should vote on this? I want to cast my ballot the way it would be best for everyone and would appreciate your advice.

I haven't been out here long enough to know very much of these doings.

Thanks a lot. Your papers always get passed on to others.

Very truly yours, — — —F. T.

HEARING TO DECIDE IF MANKIND UNITED IMMUNE TO LABOR LAWS

LOS ANGELES,—Whether Mankind United's "Children of the Church" can be required to join a labor union and if not, the possible effects on the prosecution of the war, will come before the 10th Regional War Labor Board in a dispute case centering around the Continental Building, 408 South Spring street.

The building is owned by Christ Church of the Golden Rule, whose president is A. L. Bell, "The Voice" of Mankind United. Two A. F. of L. unions, the International Union of Operating Engineers and the Building Service Employees' Union, have demanded a contract covering all building employees.

Russell Parsons, attorney for the church, said the building is operated by church members who, after working up through various "degrees", become "Children of the Church". Attaining this, they divest themselves of all worldly possessions, work solely for the church and are cared for as wards of the church.

One of the requirements of "Children of the Church", he said, was that they could not be members of any other organization — therefore, labor union membership was impossible.

Union officials said they had a contract with prior owners of the building, which was by law assumed by the purchaser.

Bottle Round-up

An empty glass milk bottle is a mighty pretty thing, according to 14-months-old Derek Carson of Los Angeles. But to keep it filled regularly is the purpose of the dairy industry's new drive to collect all "empties" and put them back in circulation. Housewives are being urged to help overcome the serious milk bottle shortage.

PLANE TALK

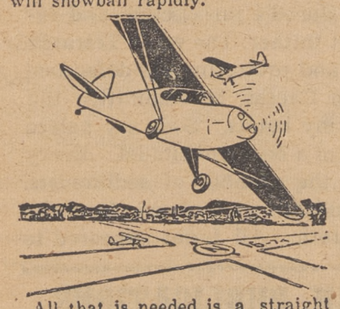
BY Rowland Burnstan

10-4-44

Small communities cannot ignore the Air Age because they are not reached by the airlines. The ghost towns of the future will have died because they had no landing strip.

Indicative of the interest in providing landing strips for their towns are the many requests for airport information received from town officials, chambers of commerce, fliers, and oil companies with gas stations to revamp.

An advantage to the average little town in carrying out landing strip plans now, is prestige for progressiveness in stimulating the growth of new industry; there will be new jobs around the airport; more transient trade will come to the town; other industries will like the location if raw materials and parts are accessible by air and town merchants can fly in special merchandise for their customers. Bulwarking these points is the theory that once there are landing facilities in an area, people's interest in buying or renting planes and flying will snowball rapidly.



All that is needed is a straight sod strip at least 1800' by 100', running into the prevailing winds, a wind sock, a direction pointer, airmarking numerals and corner markers. This is the minimum. It should be near the town and highway, allowing for expansion into a regular airport complete with hangers, servicing facilities, parking space, shops, etc. Even though planning along this line is greatly encouraged, care should be taken to insure that large expenditures are not made for improvements which may become obsolete within a few years.

Looking Ahead

Self-Reliance

By GEORGE S BENSON
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Searcy, Arkansas

ONLY A FEW years ago, industrious self-reliance was considered a typical American virtue. It penetrated deeply the character of America's early settlers. It inspired their sons to cross the Appalachians and develop a huge continent's rich interior in record time. America became the world's most influential nation as a result of many adventurous quests for religious liberty, political freedom and economic independence.

But Americans are not pioneers now in the same sense they were when the country was being explored and subdued. Millions enjoy this nation's freedom today who had nothing to do with making it free. Many of us do not appreciate our liberties because we don't know how it feels to be without them. And, since freedom is an abstract possession, impossible to touch or taste, we forget that we might be robbed of it.

Luxury Lovers LONG departed pioneers, ancestors perhaps, obtained three cardinal liberties for themselves and for us. They were (1) the right to worship, (2) the right to work and (3) the right of self government. They bought these things with hardihood, hardship and hard work, but we got them without all the hard things. Now the burning question is: Can Americans still take hardness and, if not, where will it put us?

The fact cannot be disputed that many modern Americans love luxury and hate hardship. Ingenious governmental makeshifts, devised in the early 1930's to ease the pains of that willing worker who could find no job, degenerated too soon and too often into pauper - pampering patronage. By 1936, America's swarm of idle poor had completely eclipsed the little colony of idle rich which had been the bugaboo of the previous generation.

Billion A Week YEAR after year, national relief agencies have gone in debt for every penny of their outlay. Annual increase in national indebtedness always exceeds total appropriations for relief. All our "social gains" have been bought with borrowed money. We still owe for 100% of them. So far, no date has been set to start catching up. And the national debt is growing at the rate of a billion dollars a week.

Instead of leaving something valuable for future generations, as our hardy ancestors did, this age promises posterity an economic headache. If public patronage between 1930 and 1940 so softened this generation's pride that it would buy luxuries and wish the debt upon its children, can we suddenly develop fortitude and undergo the necessary inconveniences to preserve the American way of life?

Could we Americans start now as in 1789 with a victorious, impoverished democracy and groom it again for leadership? Would we loyally pay our honest debts and preserve a foundation for free competitive enterprise and constitutional government? Undoubtedly some would choose the easy way as long as it lasted and prefer coasting to dictatorship and political slavery in some form of socialistic toboggan.

YES ON 12 YES ON 12

FREE CHOICE IS THE AMERICAN WAY

12 guarantees the right of every person to join a labor union and thereby to bargain collectively, if he so chooses, without interference with his right to get and hold a job.

12 guarantees the right of every person not to join a labor union if he so chooses, without interference with his right to get and hold a job.

Give All the Right to Work

YES ON 12 YES ON 12

(Political Adv)